

ORDER TO
SHOW CAUSE
No. ACT/047/001

BEFORE THE BOARD
OF OIL, GAS, AND MIN-
ING, DEPARTMENT OF
N A T U R A L
RESOURCES, in and for
the STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF
THE APPROVAL OF
THE AMENDED
NOTICE OF INTENT
AND RECLAMATION
PLAN SUBMITTED BY
TOSCO CORPORATION,
SAND WASH UNIT, UIN-
TAH COUNTY, UTAH

THE STATE OF UTAH
TO ALL OPERATORS,
TAKERS OF PRODUC-
TION, MINERAL AND
ROYALTY OWNERS
AND PARTICULARLY
ALL PERSONS IN-
TERESTED IN
TOWNSHIP 10 SOUTH,
RANGE 21 EAST, SLBM,
UINTAH COUNTY,
UTAH

Notice is hereby given
that tentative approval
was given by the Utah
Division of Oil, Gas and
Mining to Tosco Corpora-
tion, 10100 Santa Monica
Boulevard, Los Angeles,
California 90067, to
develop an experimental
underground oil shale
mine in the NW¼ of the
SW¼ of Section 2,
Township 10 South,
Range 21 East, SLBM,
Uintah County, Utah. The
name of the operation is
the Sand Wash Unit, and
the person representing
the company in this mat-
ter is Mr. R. Glenn
Vawter, Vice President,
Tosco Corporation, 10100
Santa Monica Boulevard,
Los Angeles, California
90067.

Tosco Corporation has
fulfilled obligations under
the Mined Land Reclama-
tion Act of 1975 (Section
40-3, UCA, 1953, as
amended) and will
employ the following
reclamation techniques,
involving approximately
5 acres of surface distur-
bance on state owned
land.

During Operations:

- 1) Approximately two
miles of existing county
access road will need
repairs, maintenance and
upgrading.
- 2) Approximately 1000
feet of additional access
road will be constructed.
- 3) Approximately five
acres of land will be level-
ed and graded for
necessary surface
facilities.
- 4) Available topsoil will
be removed and stockpil-
ed.
- 5) Waste material
generated from the sink-
ing of a 2400 foot deep
shaft twelve feet in
diameter will be used as
fill for the mine site.

Division of Oil, Gas and
Mining, 1588 West North
Temple, Salt Lake City,
Utah 84116, setting forth
factual reasons for his
complaint and thereafter,
at a time and place
heretobe established, ap-
pear before the Board of
Oil, Gas, and Mining, to
show cause, if any there
be, why this plan should
not be approved.

DATED this 30th day of
October, 1978
STATE OF UTAH
BOARD OF OIL, GAS,
AND MINING
SCHEREE WILCOX
Secretary of the Board

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STATE OF UTAH, }
County of Uintah } ss.

I, Joan Gray,

being duly sworn, depose and say, that I
am the Business Manager of The Vernal
Express, a weekly newspaper of general
circulation, published once each week at
Vernal, Utah, that the notice attached
hereto was published in said newspaper

for one consecutive weeks,

the first publication having been made on

the 2 day of November, 1978

and the last on the 2 day of

November, 1978, that said notice

was published in the regular and entire
issue of every number of the paper during
the period and times of publication, and
the same was published in the newspaper
proper and not in a supplement.

By Joan Gray Manager

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

this 2 day of November

A. D. 1978

Jack R. Hall
Notary Public, Residence, Vernal, Utah

My Commission expires June 19, 1981

6) water during shaft construction will be stored in a water retention facility for dust suppression and other project needs depending upon quantity and quality. Excess water will be disposed of according to Division requirements.

7) Ore will be stockpiled on-site in a non-erosive manner; some ore will be transported off-site and eventually all ore will be removed.

8) The perimeter slopes of the surface facilities site will be mixed with topsoil, fertilized, seeded with adaptable species, mulched and irrigated.

9) The area will also be fenced where necessary to exclude grazing animals and help insure plant survival.

After Operations:

1) The surface facilities used in support of the program will be removed.

2) The site will be regraded and topsoil redistributed.

3) The disturbed area will be restored to a condition similar to its condition at the beginning of the experimental mining program using techniques previously described.

Reclamation surety will be established upon final approval of the reclamation plan.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within 30 days of November 9, 1978 to the